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WITH INCREASED SOLAR HEAT REFLECTANCE,

AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SAME

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

This paper is being submitted electronically on October 6, 2008 in response to the Examiner's statement of Reasons for Allowance accompanying the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed September 24, 2008.

Applicants note that there is a minor typographical error in the last sentence of the first paragraph of the Statement: "failed" should read "filed."

Respectfully submitted,

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